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REIGN OF FIRE



INSTRUCTION BOOKLET

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⚠ WARNING - Seizures

Some people (about 1 in 4000) may have seizures or black outs triggered by light flashes, such as while watching TV or playing video games, even if they have never had a seizure before.

Anyone who has had a seizure, loss of awareness, or other symptom linked to an epileptic condition should consult a doctor before playing a video game.

Parents should watch when their children play video games. Stop playing and consult a doctor if you or your child have any of the following symptoms:

Convulsions
Altered vision

Eye or muscle twitching
Involuntary movements

Loss of awareness
Disorientation

To reduce the likelihood of a seizure when playing video games:

1. Sit or stand as far from the screen as possible.
2. Play video games on the smallest available television screen.
3. Do not play if you are tired or need sleep.
4. Play in a well-lit room.
5. Take a 10 to 15 minute break every hour.



WARNING - Repetitive Motion Injuries

Playing video games can make your muscles, joints or skin hurt after a few hours. Follow these instructions to avoid problems such as Tendonitis, Carpal Tunnel Syndrome or skin irritation:

- Take a 10 to 15 minute break every hour, even if you don't think you need it.
- If your hands, wrists or arms become tired or sore while playing, stop and rest them for several hours before playing again.
- If you continue to have sore hands, wrists or arms during or after play, stop playing and see a doctor.



WARNING - Battery Leakage

Leakage of battery acid can cause personal injury as well as damage to your Game Boy. If battery leakage occurs, thoroughly wash the affected skin and clothes. Keep battery acid away from your eyes and mouth. Leaking batteries may make popping sounds.

To avoid battery leakage:

- Do not mix used and new batteries (replace all batteries at the same time).
- Do not mix alkaline and carbon zinc batteries.
- Do not mix different brands of batteries.
- Do not use nickel cadmium batteries.
- Do not leave used batteries in the Game Boy. When the batteries are losing their charge, the power light may become dim, the game sounds may become weak, or the display screen may be blank. When this happens, promptly replace all used batteries with new batteries.
- Do not leave batteries in the Game Boy or accessory for long periods of non-use.
- Do not leave the power switch on after the batteries have lost their charge. When you finish using the Game Boy, always slide the power switch OFF.
- Do not recharge the batteries.
- Do not put the batteries in backwards. Make sure that the positive (+) and negative (-) ends are facing in the correct directions. Insert the negative end first. When removing batteries, remove the positive end first.
- Do not dispose of batteries in a fire.



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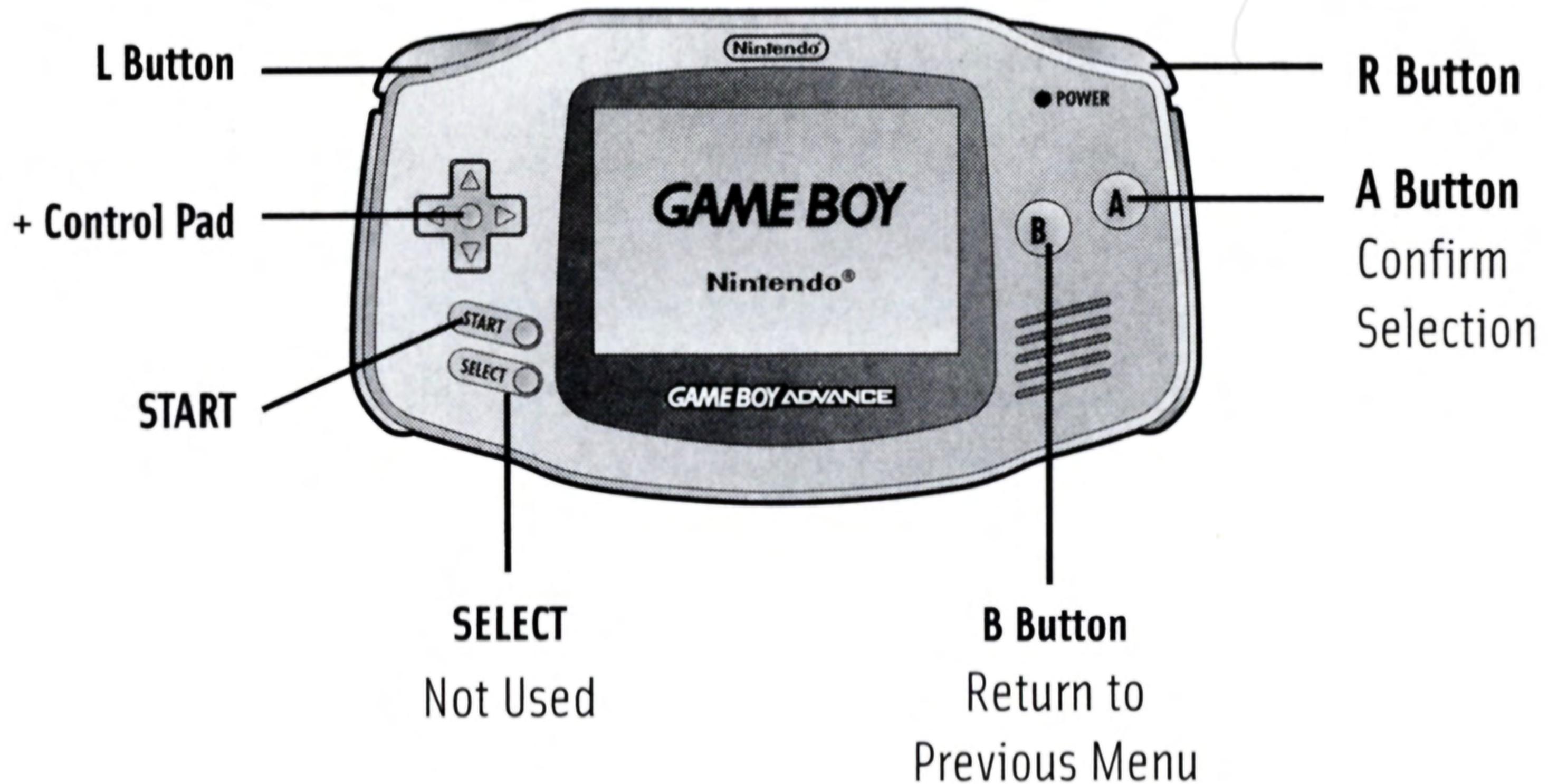
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STARTING THE GAME

- Make sure the POWER switch is OFF
- Insert the *Reign of Fire*® Game Pak into the Game Boy® Advance slot as described in your Nintendo Game Boy® Advance instruction manual.
- Turn the POWER switch on. The Language select screen will appear (if this does not happen, begin again at step 1).
- Choose your desired language.
- The Title screen will appear and several options will be available.

Note: The *Reign of Fire* Game Pak is for Game Boy® Advance system only.

GAME BOY® ADVANCE CONTROLS



Menu Navigation

BUTTON	ACTION
<i>Control Pad</i>	Highlight menu selections
<i>A Button</i>	Confirm Selection
<i>B Button</i>	Return to previous menu

Game Controls

There are two different control methods that the player can use. These can be changed in the Options menu and are called directional control and rotational control.

Control Pad – You will travel in the direction you press on the Control Pad.

Rotational – Left and right rotate the team. Up always walks forward and back turns the group 180 degrees.

BUTTON	ACTION
<i>Control Pad</i>	Move player
<i>A Button</i>	Fire weapon or breathe fire (Hold down for napalm breath/ rapid press for fireball)
<i>B Button</i>	Action button - Exit and enter vehicles/Take off and land
<i>START</i>	Pause the game

Controlling Vehicles

<i>Control Pad</i>	Move player
<i>B Button</i>	Get in and out of vehicles by positioning group nearby.

INTRODUCTION

Reign of Fire is based on the scorching blockbuster movie of the same name.

In present day London, twelve-year old Quinn watches as his mother, a construction engineer, inadvertently wakes an enormous fire-breathing beast from its centuries-long slumber. Twenty years later, the world has become scarred and overrun by this massive beast and its many offspring...

The year is now 2024. In just a few decades the human race has found itself on the verge of extinction. Now only a small number of human outposts remain scattered around the globe, and they must defend themselves from constant attacks from Earth's new dominant species: Dragons...

Now Quinn, and a few heavily armed soldiers under the command of the dangerous Denton Van Zan, decide to fight back against the beasts. It's time to fight fire with fire...

LANGUAGE SELECT

Press **UP** or **DOWN** to highlight your chosen language. Then press the **A** button to select.

MAIN MENU

Choose your preferred language to enter the Main Menu. Game modes and options can be accessed from the Main Menu.

New Game

Let the battle ignite! The Humans—a small group with few resources, on the verge of extinction, living in constant fear wondering when the next dragon attack is going to happen. The Dragons—the dominant species,



ready and very willing to turn the Earth into a living, breathing hell... Complete the mission objectives and fight back! Help Quinn and Van Zan fight the dragons—and bring down the beasts once and for all.

Use vehicles, weaponry and any help you can get to stay alive in this post-apocalyptic world of adventure and survival!

Completing all the human missions unlocks the Bonus Mode, which allows you to play as the dragon. Time to breathe a little fire into the world...

Password

From this screen you can enter a password to continue your game.

Ranking

Once you have completed all of the human missions, you will be able to select this option. From here, you can see your rankings for each mission and retry a mission

to better your ranking. To improve the ranking achieved, there are items to collect scattered around each mission. You can see how many items are needed in a mission by viewing the Pause screen while playing that mission.

Options

Customize the game settings.

MUSIC: Turn music ON or OFF.

Default setting is ON.

SFX: Turn in-game sound effects ON or OFF.

Default setting is ON.

CREDITS: See the people who created the game.

CONTROLS: List and change control method.

CONTRAST: Change the screen contrast.



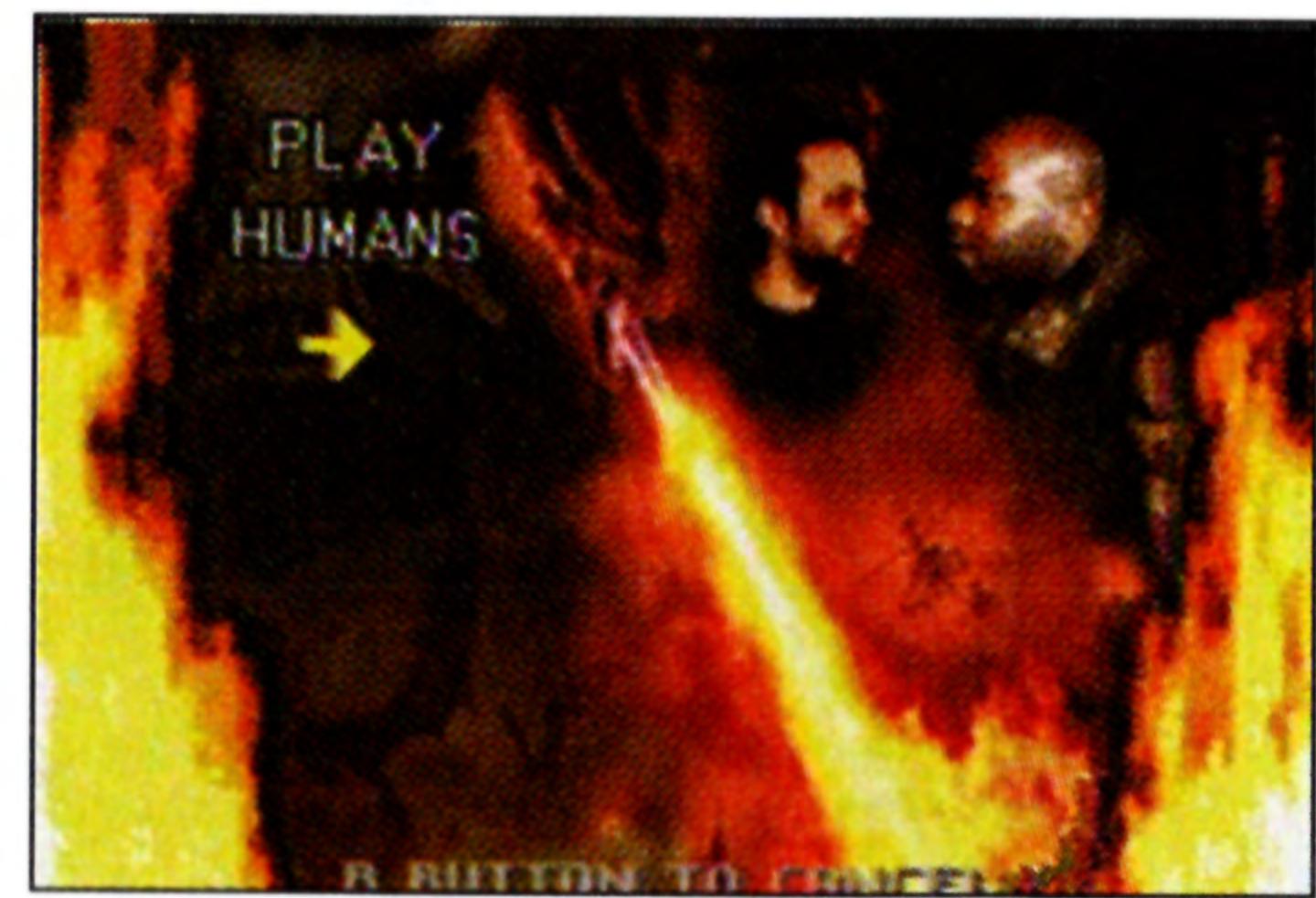
PLAYING A NEW GAME

Human/Dragon Select

The story and mission objectives within Reign of Fire are determined by which side you play as. The Human missions must all be completed before the Dragon missions are unlocked. You will also have to achieve a number of sub-tasks to achieve higher ratings.

Humans

The Humans reside in a castle, a fortress from the constant attacks of the beasts. To survive, the humans need to harvest crops to provide food for the group. But with the constant barrage of dragon fire, this ordinarily simple



task has become a journey of life and death. Guide the humans through hunger and through flame, and take back the world...

Dragons

They're extremely intelligent. Highly evolved. And they don't like sharing the planet. Protect your race and exterminate the human vermin. The humans will constantly try to bring down the dragons any way they can. Be wary. Use your fireballs and napalm to stop them in their tracks and eradicate the humans once and for all...



Mission Briefing

There are ten human missions and six dragon missions. Each mission will have an objective or multiple objectives to complete. Listen carefully to the advice, it might be the only help you get...



THE GAME SCREEN

As you move around the world of *Reign of Fire*, take note of the important information displayed on the game screen.



HEAD UP DISPLAY (HUD) – Whichever side the player is controlling they will have a compass. This will be displayed at the bottom right of the screen and will point the player towards the objective. One thing to bear in mind is that the arrow points to

the objective directly and because of this there may be obstacles that you will need to travel around to get to your final destination.

ENERGY BARS – The energy bars that appear on the left side of the screen are for you and your vehicle. The energy bar at the top of the screen is the enemy that you are attacking. The energy bar that appears on the right side of the screen is the vehicles' load, that is, how much water is left in the fire truck or how much crop is in the harvester.

Pausing the Game

Press START at any time to pause the game and access the following options.

CONTINUE GAME – Continue the game you are currently playing.

RESTART MISSION – Restart the current mission from the very beginning.

VIEW OBJECTIVES – View the current mission objectives.

CONTRAST – Control the brightness of the Game Boy Advance screen.

QUIT – Quit the game and return to the Main Menu.

At the bottom of the screen, you will see how many of each of the sub tasks you need to collect\destroy to attain the best ranking.

Password Entry

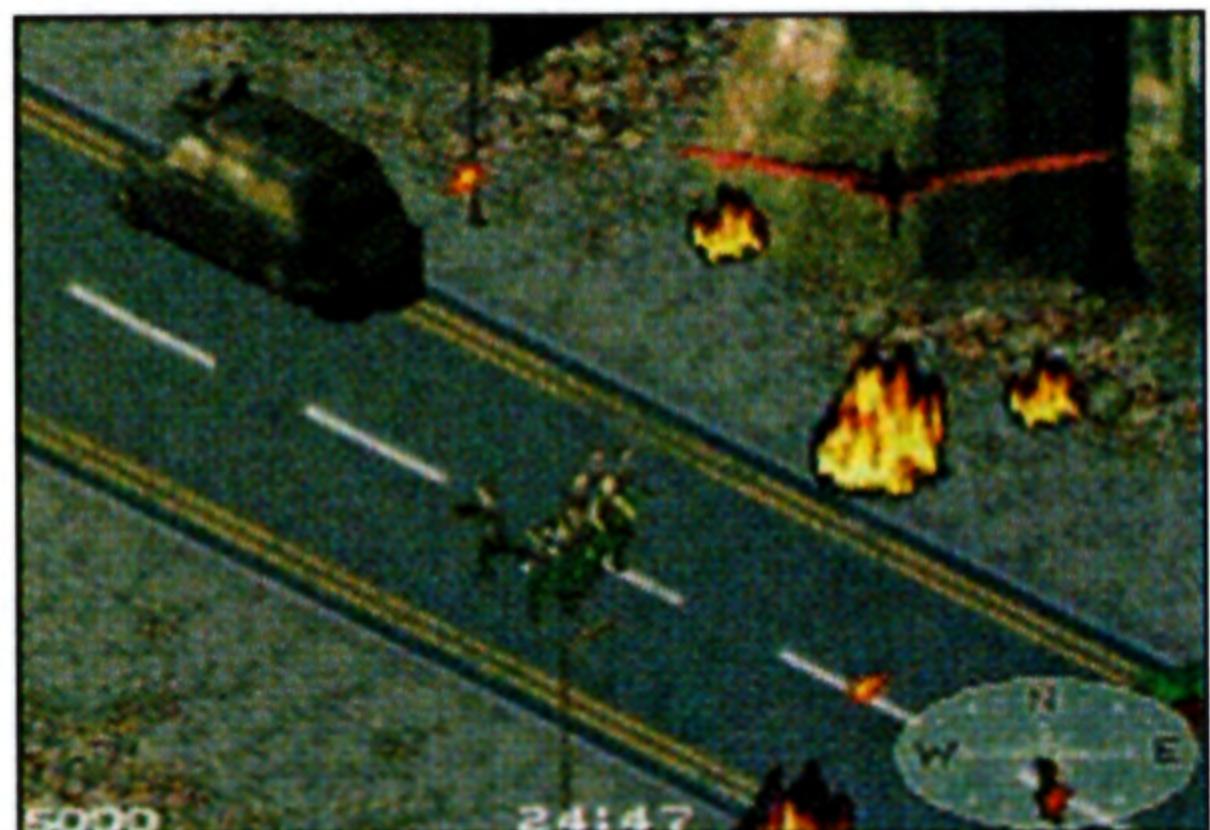
After completing each level, you'll receive a password. Use the password when re-entering the game to continue from the level where you left off. Access the Password Entry screen from the Main Menu.

When your password is complete and has been accepted, you'll be transported to the correct level.

GAME FEATURES

Humans

When you're not in a vehicle you control a group of humans. Humans have minimum attack power and poor defenses. They are armed with shotguns. If all of the group are killed, the mission is over.



Fire Truck

This vehicle is your only form of defense against fires. When you run out of water, you need to drive into the river and let it fill up.





Harvester

Your community needs crops to survive and this is the only way you can collect them. Once full, unload the harvester into the crop pile at the castle.



Tank

The tank is an all-out attack vehicle. It has very strong defenses and high-powered attacks. The tank's only downfall is its speed; a smart dragon can easily out-maneuver it.



Military Vehicle

The jeep is good for covering large areas of the map. It doesn't have the best firepower or defense, but it's a handy reconnaissance vehicle.

HUMAN ENEMIES



Baby Dragons

The baby dragons are green or red and attack with a small fireball that inflicts minimal damage.

Juvenile Dragons

The juvenile dragons are able to fly. They are red and have two methods of attack—fireball and fire breath. These attacks do a lot of damage. Watch out for juveniles that can be air or land-based.



Adult Dragons

The adult dragons are black and can fly. They have two methods of attack—fireball and fire breath. These attacks do a lot of damage. Adults can be air or land-based.



Travellers

Occasionally, you may come up against some hostile humans. Generally they won't be too much of a problem.



The Bull

The beast of all beasts. The dragon of all dragons. The one that started it all off.

Prepare for the ultimate battle...

HUMAN PICK-UPS



Health – Locate the boxes of health to give you and your soldiers more of a chance out there in the field.

Crates – Collect these to complete your sub-tasks and also get extra time.

Barrels – Collect these as you see them. On some missions, they will be essential.

Sand Bags – These could be helpful in protecting you from any explosive objects that might be around...

DRAGON PICK-UPS



Ash – This will fill the dragon's ash bar by 10 percent. This is the life food of dragons. Ash is created when a crop square burns fully. Your dragon will need to eat a certain amount to grow to the next stage of their development.

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